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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :
Minoru SUDOU :
Serial No. 10/712,148 : Group Art Unit - 2816
Filed: November 13, 2003 : Examiner - Long T. Nguyen
For: VOLTAGE DETECTING CIRCUIT : Docket No. S004-5152

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND REQUIRED EXTENSION FEE**

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Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time for replying to the Office Action dated July 1, 2005, and request that the period for taking further action be reset to expire on November 1, 2005. This is an extension request for replying to the July 1 Office Action within the first month pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

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The reason for the present request is to provide additional time to study the July 1 Office Action and take appropriate action in response thereto.

Authorization is hereby given to charge \$120.00 for the required extension fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268. Should it be determined that this amount is insufficient for any reason, authorization hereby is given to charge any such insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date